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SUBJECT: TEXT OF INDIAN AIDE MEMOIRE PRESENTED TO SECRETARY BY INDIAN AMBASSADOR AUGUST 10.

- 1. TEXT OF INDIAN AIDE MEMOIRE PRESENTED TO SECRETARY BY INDIAN AMBASSADOR KAUL AUGUST 10 AS FOLLOWS. QUOTE: LETTER DATED JUNE 19, 1974 FROM THE CHAIRMAN, U.S. ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION TO THE CHAIRMAN, INDIAN ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION ON THE INDO-US AGREEMENTS FOR COOPERATION IN CIVIL USES OF ATOMIC ENERGY WAS REPLIED TO IN LETTER DATED JULY 10, 1974 FROM THE CHAIRMAN, INDIAN ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION, WHICH WAS TRANSMITTED BY INDIA'S AMBASSADOR TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE ON JULY 18TH.
- 2. THE REPLY FROM THE CHAIRMAN, INDIAN ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION SEEKS IN EFFECT TO ACHIEVE THE SAME END RESULT THAT THE U.S. ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION PRESUMABLY DESIRES, VIZ., ACCESS TO THE PLUTONIUM PRODUCED IN THE TARAPUR ATOMIC POWER STATION. THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CONSIDERS THAT THIS OFFER WHILE MEETING THE SUBSTANTIVE CONCERN OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT IS ALSO WITHIN THE CONFIDENTIAL

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FRAMEWORK OF THE INDO-US AGREEMENT ON TARAPUR WHICH

CLEARLY SPELLS OUT THE RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS OF THE PARTIES. THIS SUBJECT OF THE AGREEMENT WAS RAISED IN THE INDIAN PARLIAMENT RECENTLY AND INDIA'S PRIME MINISTER

STATED THAT INDIA HAS NOT VIOLATED GUARANTEES OR PROHIBITIONS OF ANY ARTICLE OF THE AGREEMENT RELATING TO TARAPUR ATOMIC POWER STATION.

3. THE UNIT NO. 2 OF TARAPUR ATOMIC POWER STATION NEEDED SOURCE RANGE MONITORS WHICH WERE ORDERED ON GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY AND HAVE BEEN READY FOR SHIPMENT FROM AROUND JULY 5TH, 1974 FOR WHICH CLEARANCE IS AWAITED FROM THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT. IT IS REQUESTED THAT THIS CLEARANCE WHICH HAS BEEN DELAYED BY OVER A MONTH MAY NOW BE GIVEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LETTER AND SPIRIT OF THE INDO-US AGREEMENT. END QUOTE. KISSINGER

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